

Welcome to the



Scots International Church Rotterdam

a congregation of the
Church of Scotland International Presbytery

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Daily Bible Readings for the coming week - 5 of 2021

Monday	08.02.21: Psalm. 102:12-28; 2 Kings 4:8-17, 32-37; Acts 14:1-7
Tuesday	09.02.21: Psalm 102:12-28; 2 Kings 8:1-6; Acts 15:36-41
Wednesday	10.02.21: Psalm 102:12-28; Job 6:1-13; Mark 3:7-12
Thursday	11.02.21: Psalm 50:1-6; 1 Kings 11:26-40; 2 Cor. 2:12-17
Friday	12.02.21: Ps. 50:1-6; 1 Kings 14:1-18; 1 Timothy 1:12-20
Saturday	13.02.21: Psalm 50:1-6; 1 Kings 16:1-7; Luke 19:41-44

Thought for the Week

Something to pray

We thank you, Lord, that you have met us
in praise and worship, in word and prayer.
Go with us to our homes, our places of work and play,
to look for ways to serve others in those places.
We go in the name of the Father, in the love of Christ,
and through the power of the Spirit.
Amen.

Order of Service for Sunday 07.02.2021 led by the Rev. Graham Austin

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

The Service Today

Minister: Rev. Graham Austin

Elder: Ruud

Organist: Jan Hendrik

Children's message: Rev. Graham Austin

Vocalist: Anneke

Bible Reader: Bob

Live Streaming: Rizal

Flowers: George Ross arranged by Bridget

ONLINE SERVICES ONLY - FOR THE TIME BEING

Sunday 07.02.2021
Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

Welcome & Call to Worship

If you are tired, you will be renewed.

Come to the Lord.

If you wait for the Lord, you will be renewed.

Come to the Lord.

God does not faint or grow weary, and strengthens us
by the power of the Spirit. You will be renewed.

We come to the Lord.

CH4 127 O worship the King, all glorious above

1 O worship the King, all glorious above; O gratefully sing his power and his love; our shield and defender, the Ancient of Days, pavilioned in splendour and girded with praise.	3 The earth with its store of wonders untold, Almighty, thy power hath founded of old; hath stablished it fast by a changeless decree, and round it hath cast, like a mantle, the sea.	5 Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, in thee do we trust, nor find thee to fail; thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end, our maker, defender, redeemer, and friend!
2 O tell of his might, O sing of his grace, whose robe is the light, whose canopy space; his chariots of wrath the deep thunder-clouds form, and dark is his path on the wings of the storm.	4 Thy bountiful care what tongue can recite? It breathes in the air, it shines in the light; it streams from the hills; it descends to the plain, and sweetly distils in the dew and the rain.	6 O measureless might, ineffable love! While angels delight to hymn thee above, the humbler creation, in lowlier ways, with true adoration shall sing to thy praise.

*Opening Prayer,
Prayer of Confession
& the Lord's Prayer*

Children's Message: What's the difference?

CH4 755 Be still and know

1 Be still and know that I am God.
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Be still and know that I am God

2 I am the Lord who saves and heals.
I am the Lord who saves and heals.
I am the Lord who saves and heals.

3 In you, Lord God, I put my trust.
In you, Lord God, I put my trust.
In you, Lord God, I put my trust

Bible Reading: Mark 1:29-39

[Jesus Heals Many](#)

29 As soon as they left the synagogue, they went with James and John to the home of Simon and Andrew.

30 Simon's mother-in-law was in bed with a fever, and they immediately told Jesus about her.

31 So he went to her, took her hand and helped her up. The fever left her and she began to wait on them.

32 That evening after sunset the people brought to Jesus all the sick and demon-possessed.

33 The whole town gathered at the door,

34 and Jesus healed many who had various diseases. He also drove out many demons, but he would not let the demons speak because they knew who he was.

[Jesus Prays in a Solitary Place](#)

35 Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed.

36 Simon and his companions went to look for him,

37 and when they found him, they exclaimed: "Everyone is looking for you!"

38 Jesus replied, "Let us go somewhere else—to the nearby villages—so I can preach there also. That is why I have come."

39 So he traveled throughout Galilee, preaching in their synagogues and driving out demon

CH4 565: How can I keep from singing

<p>1 My life flows on in endless song above earth's lamentation: I catch the sweet, though far off, hymn that hails a new creation.</p> <p>[Refrain:] <i>No storm can shake my inmost calm while to that Rock I'm clinging. Since love is Lord of heaven and earth, how can I keep from singing?</i></p>	<p>2 Through all the tumult and the strife, I hear that music ringing. It finds an echo in my soul -- how can I keep from singing? [Refrain]</p> <p>3 What though my joys and comforts die? The Lord, my Saviour, liveth. What though the darkness round me close? Songs in the night he giveth. [Refrain]</p>	<p>4 The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart, a fountain ever springing. All things are mine since I am his! How can I keep from singing? [Refrain]</p>
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Sermon: Ministry

Church Offerings

&
the Mission Offering: 'Iona Abbey Appeal'

NL62 RABO 0373741006
NL17 INGB 0000 175187

As we give our Offering we listen to:

Praise hymn: Here I am to worship (Light of the world)
(Dee and Graham)

Dedication of Offerings

Summary for 31/01/2021

Open plate + via bank	€140.00
Envelopes + via bank	€300.00
Coffee money	n/a €0.00
Sunday School	n/a €0.00
Bank (Weekly Avg.)	€770.00
Fixed Rental (Weekly Avg.)	€447.00
Additional Rents (Est. Weekly Avg)	€95.00
	€1,752.00
Average Weekly Expenditure	€2,137.00
Surplus/Deficit	<u><u>-€385.00</u></u>
Ethiopia mission offering	€130.00

Church News

Prayers for Others: (elder)

CH4 132 Immortal, invisible, God only wise

1 Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
most blessèd, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.

2 Unresting, unchanging, and silent as light,
nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might;
thy justice like mountains, high soaring above
thy clouds, which are fountains of goodness and
love.

3 To all, life thou givest, to both great and small;
in all life thou livest, the true life of all;
we blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,
and wither and perish, but naught changeth thee.

4 Great Father of glory, pure Father of light,
thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight.
All praise we would render: O help us to see
'tis only the splendour of light hideth thee

Benediction & Three-fold Amen

Prayer Request

Are you in need of prayer or pastoral care or do you know someone who is?

Please send prayer request to the Prayer Coordinator: Irene Jardine, at pray.sicr@gmail.com

Pastoral Care

For pastoral care or a visit from the Minister or an Elder, contact Rev. Graham Austin (see first page) your Elder, or the Church Office **E-mail SICR :** info@scotsintchurch.com



Visit

https://www.irenebom.com/prayer_matters/#new_tab

the Prayer Matters website to prompt and resource your personal prayer

What's On & Church News

<u>Date</u>	<u>Sermon</u>	<u>Reading</u>
Feb 14	The dazzle factor	Mark 9:2-9
Feb 21	Kingdom of God	Mark 1:9-15



Devotions by WhatsApp

Thought for the Day by WhatsApp and Facebook

If you would like devotion by mobile phone, then join the 'Thought for the day' WhatsApp group by texting: 06 3059 9641

A series of studies during the period of Lent 2021 coming to you via Zoom. Please register for a place through info@scotsintchurch.com. The virtual meetings will begin at 7.30pm. Each week a well-known song and a special focus will lead us into our study of the gospel reading.

NOTICE

Even though we cannot have our usual chat after the Sunday services we can still contact our church family by phone and not to forget that calling via internet can be free of charge. If you don't have someone's phone number, then do send a mail to the church office, (info@scotsintchurch.com) or call Bob / (Molly 0625 538 320) our church office volunteers and they will figure out for you how you can acquire the required number.

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